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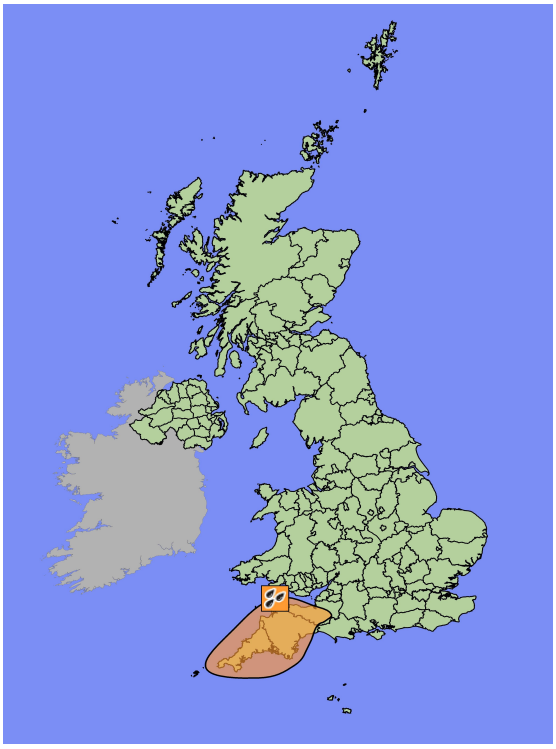

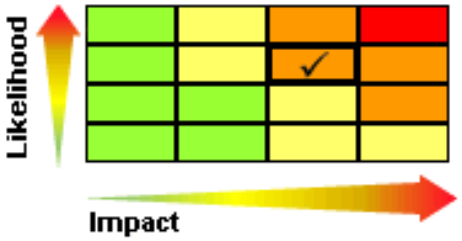

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Further active frontal systems with outbreaks of rain and strong to gale force winds will move northeastwards across the southwest of England during Saturday and Sunday. Some of the rain will be heavy with many areas seeing an additional 20 to 30mm with as much as 50 to 60mm possible over high ground.

The Met Office have issued an **Amber Alert** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:05 on Sat, 22nd Dec 2012** until **06:00 on Sun, 23rd Dec 2012**

Further bands of heavy rain accompanied by strong winds are expected to move north-eastwards across the southwest of England through Saturday and Sunday. Given that the ground is already saturated, the public should be aware of the risk of localised flooding and disruption to travel.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 13:31 on Thu, 20th Dec 2012

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